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|-----------------------------|------------------|-----|-------------|----|
| Sturgeon Harvest estimates: |                  |     | Guidelines: | %  |
| Bonneville                  | (as of April 30) | 185 | 700         | 26 |
| The Dalles*                 | (as of April 8)  | 93  | 100         | 93 |
| John Day                    | (as of April 30) | 70  | 165         | 42 |

\* The Dalles Reservoir closed to sturgeon retention effective April 8.

## WDFW Mid-Columbia River mainstem sport sampling summary <sup>1</sup>

May 22 - 28, 2006

The following table is a summary of numbers of fish observed by samplers.

Samplers generally observe from 10% - 25% of total harvest.

| <b>Sturgeon</b>  |              |           |          |          |           |                   |       |              |           |          |          |           |                   |                   |
|------------------|--------------|-----------|----------|----------|-----------|-------------------|-------|--------------|-----------|----------|----------|-----------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Reservoir        | Bank Anglers | Subs      | Leg Rel  | Leg Kept | Over-size | 2006 Cum Leg Kept | Boats | Boat Anglers | Subs      | Leg Rel  | Leg Kept | Over-size | 2006 Cum Leg Kept | Combined Leg Kept |
| Bonneville Pool  | 30           | 75        |          | 1        |           | 14                | 4     | 10           | 23        |          | 1        | 3         | 28                | 42                |
| The Dalles Pool  |              |           |          |          |           | 4                 |       |              |           |          |          |           | 16                | 20                |
| John Day Pool    | 10           | 2         |          |          |           | 5                 | 4     | 9            | 7         |          |          |           | 13                | 18                |
| Total            | 40           | 77        |          | 1        |           | 23                | 8     | 19           | 30        |          | 1        | 3         | 57                | 80                |
| <b>Salmonids</b> |              |           |          |          |           |                   |       |              |           |          |          |           |                   |                   |
|                  | Bank Anglers | Wild Kept | Wild Rel | Hat Kept | Hat Rel   | 2006 Cum Leg Kept | Boats | Boat Anglers | Wild Kept | Wild Rel | Hat Kept | Hat Rel   | 2006 Cum Leg Kept |                   |
| Bonneville Pool  | 4            |           |          | 1        |           | 5                 |       |              |           |          |          |           | 5                 | 10                |
| Chinook          |              |           |          | 1        |           | 5                 |       |              |           |          |          |           |                   | 5                 |
| Coho             |              |           |          |          |           |                   |       |              |           |          |          |           |                   |                   |
| Steelhead        |              |           |          |          |           |                   |       |              |           |          |          |           | 5                 | 5                 |
| The Dalles Pool  | 67           |           | 3        |          |           | 46                | 3     | 7            |           |          |          |           | 55                | 101               |
| Chinook          |              |           | 3        |          |           | 35                |       |              |           |          |          |           | 19                | 54                |
| Coho             |              |           |          |          |           |                   |       |              |           |          |          |           |                   |                   |
| Steelhead        |              |           |          |          |           | 11                |       |              |           |          |          |           | 36                | 47                |
| John Day Pool    | 12           |           |          |          |           | 25                | 37    | 82           |           |          |          |           | 42                | 67                |
| Chinook          |              |           |          |          |           | 8                 |       |              |           |          |          |           | 40                | 48                |
| Coho             |              |           |          |          |           |                   |       |              |           |          |          |           |                   |                   |
| Steelhead        |              |           |          |          |           | 17                |       |              |           |          |          |           | 2                 | 19                |
| <b>Walleye</b>   |              |           |          |          |           |                   |       |              |           |          |          |           |                   |                   |
|                  | Bank Anglers | Rel       | Leg Kept |          |           | 2006 Cum Leg Kept | Boats | Boat Anglers | Rel       | Leg Kept |          |           | 2006 Cum Leg Kept |                   |
| Bonneville Pool  |              |           |          |          |           |                   |       |              |           |          |          |           | 62                | 62                |
| The Dalles Pool  |              |           |          |          |           | 3                 | 3     | 9            |           | 6        |          |           | 124               | 127               |
| John Day Pool    |              |           |          |          |           |                   | 7     | 14           | 1         | 12       |          |           | 150               | 150               |
| <b>Bass</b>      |              |           |          |          |           |                   |       |              |           |          |          |           |                   |                   |
|                  | Bank Anglers | Rel       | Leg Kept |          |           | 2006 Cum Leg Kept | Boats | Boat Anglers | Rel       | Leg Kept |          |           | 2006 Cum Leg Kept |                   |
| Bonneville Pool  | 7            | 26        |          |          |           | 10                | 2     | 4            | 48        |          |          |           | 14                | 24                |
| The Dalles Pool  | 3            | 3         | 1        |          |           | 2                 | 3     | 7            | 7         |          |          |           | 1                 | 3                 |
| John Day Pool    | 2            | 1         | 3        |          |           | 23                | 6     | 4            | 13        | 1        |          |           | 150               | 173               |

<sup>1</sup> Quantities include both Washington and Oregon samples.

|            |                              | Sturgeon | Salmonids | Walleye | Bass |
|------------|------------------------------|----------|-----------|---------|------|
| Bonneville | Effort (% of 6-week average) | 58%      | 49%       | none    | 67%  |
|            | Catch Per Unit Effort        | 2.58     | 0.25      | none    | 6.73 |
|            | Harvest Per Unit Effort      | 0.05     | 0.25      | none    | none |
| The Dalles | Effort (% of 6-week average) | none     | 191%      | 415%    | 333% |
|            | Catch Per Unit Effort        | none     | 0.04      | 0.67    | 1.10 |
|            | Harvest Per Unit Effort      | none     | none      | 0.67    | 0.10 |
| John Day   | Effort (% of 6-week average) | 36%      | 216%      | 63%     | 16%  |
|            | Catch Per Unit Effort        | 0.47     | none      | 0.93    | 3.00 |
|            | Harvest Per Unit Effort      | none     | none      | 0.86    | 0.67 |

Lower Columbia River mainstem sport sampling summary

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**Salmonid**

| Month/Week           |      | Bank    | Kept   |       | Released |       | Steelhead |      |       |  | #     | Boat    | Kept   |       | Released |       | Steelhead |      |       |
|----------------------|------|---------|--------|-------|----------|-------|-----------|------|-------|--|-------|---------|--------|-------|----------|-------|-----------|------|-------|
|                      | Sec. | Anglers | Adults | Jacks | Adults   | Jacks | Kept      | Rel. | Other |  | Boats | Anglers | Adults | Jacks | Adults   | Jacks | Kept      | Rel. | Other |
| May 22-28            | 1    | 51      | 1      | 0     | 1        | 0     | 0         | 0    | 0     |  |       |         |        |       |          |       |           |      |       |
| Bonneville           |      |         |        |       |          |       |           |      |       |  |       |         |        |       |          |       |           |      |       |
| Camas/Washougal      | 2    |         |        |       |          |       |           |      |       |  | 1     | 2       | 0      | 0     | 0        | 0     | 0         | 0    | 0     |
|                      | 3    |         |        |       |          |       |           |      |       |  |       |         |        |       |          |       |           |      |       |
| Vancouver            | 4    | 12      | 1      | 0     | 0        | 0     | 0         | 0    | 0     |  | 3     | 6       | 0      | 0     | 0        | 0     | 0         | 0    | 0     |
| Woodland             | 5    | 31      | 0      | 0     | 0        | 0     | 0         | 0    | 0     |  | 9     | 15      | 0      | 0     | 0        | 0     | 1         | 0    | 0     |
| Kalama               | 6    | 22      | 0      | 0     | 0        | 0     | 0         | 0    | 0     |  | 2     | 3       | 0      | 0     | 0        | 0     | 0         | 0    | 0     |
| Cowlitz              | 7    |         |        |       |          |       |           |      |       |  |       |         |        |       |          |       |           |      |       |
| Longview             | 8    | 36      | 1      | 0     | 0        | 0     | 10        | 1    | 0     |  | 7     | 13      | 0      | 0     | 0        | 0     | 4         | 0    | 0     |
| Cathlamet            | 9    | 9       | 0      | 0     | 0        | 0     | 5         | 1    | 0     |  |       |         |        |       |          |       |           |      |       |
| Brookfield/Elochoman | 10   | 12      | 0      | 0     | 0        | 0     | 6         | 1    | 0     |  |       |         |        |       |          |       |           |      |       |
| Total                |      | 173     | 3      | 0     | 1        | 0     | 21        | 3    | 0     |  | 22    | 39      | 0      | 0     | 0        | 0     | 5         | 0    | 0     |

**Sturgeon**

|                     | <u>Sec.</u> | <u>Bank</u><br><u>Anglers</u> | <u>Sublegals</u><br><u>Rel.</u> | <u>Legals</u><br><u>Rel.</u> | <u>Oversize</u><br><u>Rel.</u> | <u>Legals</u><br><u>Kept</u> |  | <u>#</u><br><u>Boats</u> | <u>Boat</u><br><u>Anglers</u> | <u>Sublegals</u><br><u>Rel.</u> | <u>Legals</u><br><u>Rel.</u> | <u>Oversize</u><br><u>Rel.</u> | <u>Legals</u><br><u>Kept</u> |
|---------------------|-------------|-------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------|--|--------------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Bonneville          | 1           |                               |                                 |                              |                                |                              |  | 8                        | 23                            | 23                              | 1                            | 1                              | 0                            |
| Camas/Washougal     | 2           | 4                             | 0                               | 0                            | 0                              | 0                            |  | 5                        | 12                            | 8                               | 0                            | 1                              | 1                            |
|                     | 3           |                               |                                 |                              |                                |                              |  |                          |                               |                                 |                              |                                |                              |
| Vancouver           | 4           |                               |                                 |                              |                                |                              |  |                          |                               |                                 |                              |                                |                              |
| Woodland            | 5           |                               |                                 |                              |                                |                              |  | 2                        | 5                             | 13                              | 0                            | 0                              | 1                            |
| Kalama              | 6           |                               |                                 |                              |                                |                              |  | 3                        | 7                             | 10                              | 0                            | 0                              | 0                            |
| Cowlitz             | 7           |                               |                                 |                              |                                |                              |  |                          |                               |                                 |                              |                                |                              |
| Longview            | 8           | 17                            | 3                               | 0                            | 0                              | 0                            |  | 8                        | 21                            | 38                              | 0                            | 0                              | 3                            |
| Cathlamet           | 9           |                               |                                 |                              |                                |                              |  |                          |                               |                                 |                              |                                |                              |
| Chinook/Elochoman   | 10          |                               |                                 |                              |                                |                              |  |                          |                               |                                 |                              |                                |                              |
| Deep River/Knappton | 10          |                               |                                 |                              |                                |                              |  | 25                       | 78                            | 130                             | 0                            | 1                              | 23                           |
| <b>Total</b>        |             | 21                            | 3                               | 0                            | 0                              | 0                            |  | 51                       | 146                           | 222                             | 1                            | 3                              | 28                           |

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|                   | <u>Sec.</u> | <u>Bank</u><br><u>Anglers</u> | <u>Kept</u> | <u>Rel.</u> |  | <u>#</u><br><u>Boats</u> | <u>Boat</u><br><u>Anglers</u> | <u>Kept</u> | <u>Rel.</u> |
|-------------------|-------------|-------------------------------|-------------|-------------|--|--------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| Bonneville        | 1           | 186                           | 709         | 14          |  | 2                        | 6                             | 62          | 0           |
| Camas/Washougal   | 2           | 25                            | 51          | 0           |  | 6                        | 12                            | 17          | 0           |
|                   | 3           |                               |             |             |  | 1                        | 2                             | 0           | 0           |
| Vancouver         | 4           |                               |             |             |  |                          |                               |             |             |
| Woodland          | 5           |                               |             |             |  | 1                        | 1                             | 14          | 0           |
| Kalama            | 6           |                               |             |             |  | 3                        | 6                             | 20          | 3           |
| Cowlitz           | 7           |                               |             |             |  |                          |                               |             |             |
| Longview          | 8           |                               |             |             |  | 3                        | 9                             | 20          | 11          |
| Cathlamet         | 9           |                               |             |             |  |                          |                               |             |             |
| Chinook/Elochoman | 10          |                               |             |             |  |                          |                               |             |             |
| <b>Total</b>      |             | 211                           | 760         | 14          |  | 16                       | 36                            | 133         | 14          |

## Washington lower Columbia tributaries salmonid sport sampling summaries - May 22-28

| Area                      | Chinook         |                |       |                    |       |                   |      |       |  | Chinook         |                |       |                    |       |                   |      |       |
|---------------------------|-----------------|----------------|-------|--------------------|-------|-------------------|------|-------|--|-----------------|----------------|-------|--------------------|-------|-------------------|------|-------|
|                           | Bank<br>Anglers | Kept<br>Adults | Jacks | Released<br>Adults | Jacks | Steelhead<br>Kept | Rel. | Other |  | Boat<br>Anglers | Kept<br>Adults | Jacks | Released<br>Adults | Jacks | Steelhead<br>Kept | Rel. | Other |
| Cowlitz River             | 8               | 1              | 0     | 0                  | 0     | 1                 | 0    | 0     |  |                 |                |       |                    |       |                   |      |       |
| Kalama River              | 56              | 7              | 0     | 2                  | 0     | 1                 | 0    | 0     |  | 3               | 0              | 0     | 0                  | 0     | 0                 | 0    |       |
| Lewis River<br>mainstem   |                 |                |       |                    |       |                   |      |       |  | 6               | 3              | 0     | 1                  | 0     | 0                 | 0    |       |
| Lewis River<br>North Fork | 35              | 5              | 0     | 2                  | 0     | 0                 | 0    | 0     |  | 43              | 6              | 0     | 5                  | 0     | 1                 | 3    |       |
| Wind River<br>mouth       | 26              | 3              | 0     | 0                  | 0     | 0                 | 0    | 0     |  | 16              | 1              | 0     | 0                  | 0     | 0                 | 0    |       |
| gorge                     | 6               | 0              | 0     | 0                  | 0     | 0                 | 0    | 0     |  |                 |                |       |                    |       |                   |      |       |
| coffer dam                | 1               | 2              | 0     | 0                  | 0     | 0                 | 0    | 0     |  |                 |                |       |                    |       |                   |      |       |
| upper river               | 22              | 7              | 0     | 0                  | 0     | 0                 | 0    | 0     |  |                 |                |       |                    |       |                   |      |       |
| Drano Lake                | 6               | 0              | 0     | 0                  | 0     | 0                 | 0    | 0     |  | 118             | 41             | 0     | 5                  | 0     | 0                 | 0    |       |
| Klickitat River           | 13              | 8              | 0     | 1                  | 0     | 1                 | 0    | 0     |  |                 |                |       |                    |       |                   |      |       |

WDFW sturgeon sport sampling summaries for the Ports of Chinook and Ilwaco May 22-28

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**Sturgeon**

|                   |         | <u>#<br/>Boats</u> | <u>Boat<br/>Anglers</u> | <u>Sublegals<br/>Rel.</u> | <u>Legals<br/>Rel.</u> | <u>Oversize<br/>Rel.</u> | <u>Legals<br/>Kept</u> |
|-------------------|---------|--------------------|-------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|------------------------|
| Ilwaco/Fort Canby | Private | 11                 | 35                      | 38                        | 0                      | 2                        | 10                     |
| Ilwaco            | Charter | 36                 | 344                     | 513                       | 0                      | 27                       | 143                    |
| Chinook           | Private | 55                 | 168                     | 83                        | 0                      | 1                        | 22                     |
|                   | Charter |                    |                         |                           |                        |                          |                        |